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The Deputy Commonwealth Statistician and Government Statist (Mr. V.H. Arnold) has made available Factory Production Statistics for February, 1960. These refer to certain commodities produced in Victoria. Details of Australian production of these items are published in similar form in the Monthly Bulletin of Production Statistics issued by the Head Office of the Bureau in Canberra. Many of these items are shown in greater detail in other publications of the Bureau.

Annual totals for 1938-39, 1948-49 and the last three financial years are shown in conjunction with :-

- (a) Totals for the most recent six-monthly and three-monthly periods together with comparative figures for the same periods twelve months earlier; and
- (b) Monthly totals for each of the latest fifteen months.

Figures up to 1957-58, inclusive, represent totals derived where possible from annual factory returns. It should be noted that for some factories annual returns are accepted for a period other than the normal financial year ended June 30th.

From July 1958 onwards, figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

The scope of the Bulletin will be widened from time to time to include new information as it becomes available for publication.

DEFINITION

For the purpose of the accompanying statistics, a "factory" is defined as "an establishment in which four or more persons are employed or where power (other than manual) is used in any manufacturing process".

SYMBOLS

The following symbols are used in the Bulletin :

- n.a. Not available.
- .. Nil or less than half the final digit normally shown.
- r. Revised.
- ... A blank space in a column of figures means that the relevant figure is not yet available.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Statistics of the following items are supplied by the Authorities shown :-

Superphosphate	Commonwealth Department of Primary Industry.
Black Coal)	
Brown Coal)	State Department of Mines.
Gold)	
Beer)	
Tobacco, Cigars)	Commonwealth Department of Customs and Excise.
and Cigarettes)	
Sawn Native Timber	Forests Commission of Victoria.

Details of other items are collected by the Commonwealth Statistician.

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Ham and Bacon	13	Thread, Cotton Sewing	8
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Jam	14	Tomato Soup	15
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Item Period		F U E L			HEAT, LIGHT AND POWER		Gold (Mine Prod- uction)	Sawn Native Timber
		Black Coal	Brown Coal	Briqu- ettes	Elec- tricity	Gas		
		'000 tons			mill. kWh.	mill. cu.ft.	'000 fine oz.	mill. sup.ft.
Year : 1938-39		336.1	3,663	400	1,223	7,130	148.5	120
1948-49		140.1	7,027	559	2,504	12,103	66.5	282
1956-57		121.3	10,781	618	5,037	15,746	47.7	342
1957-58		109.2	10,859	626	5,321	16,684	41.5	346
1958-59		96.1	12,337	643	5,640	17,860	40.8	338
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		43.0	6,636	425	2,838	8,049	15.25	180.7
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		48.1	5,807	302	2,591	7,996	20.31	179.6
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		18.6	3,201	246	1,323	3,519	6.59	91.1
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		19.6	2,716	137	1,215	3,491	9.48	88.6
Month, 1958 December		5.8	925	41.5	418	1,291	4.19	24.2
1959 January		6.3	900	41.3	399	1,085	2.06	18.1
February		7.5	891	54.7	398	1,115	3.23	28.9
March		6.4	1,011	62.3	426	1,295	2.80	27.8
April		7.1	1,024	60.6	461	1,380	2.87	30.5
May		6.8	1,130	53.0	528	1,687	3.13	30.0
June		7.2	1,188	52.0	556	1,825	3.48	29.2
July		8.8	1,262	59.8	603	1,886	3.58	31.4
August		8.0	1,209	60.5	563	1,791	2.83	29.0
September		8.3	1,150	58.3	537	1,636	2.44	30.8
October		8.2	1,162	61.3	516	1,574	3.64	30.5
November		7.9	1,123	59.0	462	1,320	2.58	29.8
December		6.4	1,015	48.9	443	1,269	3.08	
1960 January		5.0	1,062	91.6	429	1,089	1.57	
February		7.2	1,124	105.5	451	1,161	1.94	

Item Period		CHEMICALS		BUILDING MATERIALS			Fibrous Plaster Sheets
		Sulphuric Acid	Super- phos- phate	Clay Bricks	Roofing Tiles		
					Cement	Terra Cotta	
		'000 tons			mill.		'000 sq.yds.
Year : 1938-39		199	478	197	3.03	13.7	3,275
1948-49		232	595	153	15.48	11.0	6,116
1956-57		269	660	208	19.03	15.0	7,431
1957-58		315	774	236	19.36	15.2	7,621
1958-59		306	775	257	20.71	17.0	8,286
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		150.8	387	137.1	9.56	7.47	3,933
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		128.5	314	123.3	10.36	8.27	4,001
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		87.2	221	63.9	4.14	3.30	1,772
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		67.2	164	56.9	4.48	3.64	1,762
Month, 1958 December		18.3	48.3	20.0	1.58	1.19	597
1959 January		24.5	56.1	16.7	1.15	0.99	487
February		24.4	60.1	20.2	1.75	1.46	678
March		30.0	75.4	20.8	1.62	1.27	664
April		34.3	99.0	22.8	1.83	1.54	741
May		30.0	74.7	23.1	1.73	1.45	700
June		26.2	74.2	22.5	1.56	1.41	704
July		21.3	55.4	25.5	1.57	1.64	717
August		22.3	53.4	23.0	1.84	1.34	701
September		22.6	67.2	24.8	1.90	1.47	713
October		21.4	57.5	25.3	1.82	1.36	742
November		19.6	41.4	23.1	1.70	1.34	706
December		28.0	76.2	21.5	1.35	1.15	584
1960 January		29.2	72.1	19.0	1.12	0.91	498
February		30.0	72.8	23.4	1.67	1.24	690

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Item Period		BUILDING FITTINGS					
		Sink Heaters, Electric	Wash Boilers		Sinks, Stainless Steel	Stoves	
			Gas	Electric		Solid Fuel	Gas
		No.					
Year : 1938-39		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	17,266	23,846
1948-49		3,176	4,309	4,552	48,099	10,967	17,517
1956-57		3,949	7,805	2,887	81,312	20,365	24,492
1957-58		4,472	6,755	2,628	95,121	19,834	32,810
1958-59		4,524	6,727	1,822	96,411	17,555	37,098
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		(a)	2,357	(a)	41,478	6,319	21,753
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		2,212	3,475	864	47,213	8,901	19,621
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		830	968	(a)	19,484	2,739	10,048
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		1,106	1,490	414	19,616	3,653	8,561
Month, 1958 December		448	539	192	6,703	1,492	3,183
1959 January		246	326	101	4,703	836	2,220
February		412	625	121	8,210	1,325	3,158
March		303	459	141	8,605	1,513	2,498
April		298	598	155	8,306	1,216	2,689
May		453	579	135	5,435	1,101	2,599
June		510	381	115	7,378	1,227	2,188
July		566	500	86	7,515	1,403	3,712
August		355	371	127	7,241	1,257	3,878
September		(a)	453	90	7,803	1,197	3,947
October		338	478	95	7,161	1,150	3,730
November		323	458	86	7,030	1,233	4,028
December		292	321	103	6,805	985	3,710
1960 January		236	245	(a)	4,632	693	2,519
February		302	402	131	8,047	1,061	3,819

Item Period		BUILDING FITTINGS					
		Bath Heaters			Hot Water Systems - Storage		
		Solid Fuel	Gas	Electric	Gas	Electric	Other
		No.					
Year : 1938-39		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49		6,271	5,498	1,946	1,590	12,195	397
1956-57		8,426	7,036	2,214	2,793	14,383	5,905(b)
1957-58		7,107	7,620	1,828	3,905	14,430	7,982
1958-59		7,130	7,389	1,453	4,807	14,927	9,744
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		(a)	2,892	524	2,286	7,122	5,145
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		(a)	3,741	746	2,526	7,064	4,742
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		1,413	1,233	241	1,219	3,498	2,116
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		(a)	1,602	359	940	3,193	1,959
Month, 1958 December		1,015	540	137	328	1,124	744
1959 January		(a)	464	113	206	710	475
February		(a)	598	109	406	1,359	740
March		816	657	86	318	1,288	840
April		290	503	80	307	1,417	918
May		798	539	116	310	1,179	722
June		(a)	491	69	298	1,345	741
July		807	637	124	347	1,223	915
August		782	673	101	302	1,347	1,045
September		(a)	584	98	351	1,219	1,050
October		850	584	88	r 394	1,186	1,012
November		(a)	491	97	r 322	1,219	967
December		472	415	86	r 409	1,330	742
1960 January		227	296	60	r 319	962	531
February		714	522	95	491	1,206	843

(a) Not available for publication.
(b) Excludes kerosene and oil.

Item Period	PAINTS					Detergents (All types)
	Ready Mixed Paints	Enamels (Natural and Synthetic)	Lacquers (Nitro- cellu- lose)	Thinners for Lacquers	Water Paints (b)	
	'000 gallons					'000 cwt.
Year : 1938-39	159	63	154	204(a)	659(c)	n.a.
1948-49	1,077	415	232	333	1,032(c)	n.a.
1956-57	1,977	1,290	367	617	7,332(c)	147
1957-58	3,323		466	711	521	260
1958-59	3,462		493	767	620	374
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	1,742		273	422	439	201
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	1,785		234	388	328	188
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	846		122	198	185	108
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	867		106	190	143	92
Month, 1958 December	337		36.4	62.2	53.0	30.4
1959 January	218		28.0	53.7	34.2	26.3
February	312		42.1	73.9	55.8	35.8
March	285		41.2	61.3	45.9	25.0
April	302		46.6	74.1	54.3	40.3
May	309		40.4	64.2	51.8	40.0
June	230		43.8	60.1	51.5	27.7
July	276		51.1	66.2	57.8	39.3
August	258		40.9	65.1	65.3	28.4
September	300		49.0	75.2	88.9	23.4
October	296		51.1	73.6	85.1	38.8
November	300		51.2	75.1	79.5	31.0
December	320		38.0	58.2	71.7	32.4
1960 January	223		38.3	60.0	41.4	33.4
February	303		45.5	79.9	72.3	42.1

Item Period	SOAP (d)					
	House- hold (e)	Toilet and Hand (f)	Industrial (g)	Extracts and Powders	Cleansers and Scourers	Other (h)
	'000 cwt.					
Year : 1938-39	192	18.0	(i) 17.6	123	41.7	5.3
1948-49	222	51.0	36.1	249	15.8	25.8
1956-57	161	52.9	47.2	365	16.2	61.3
1957-58	184	69.3	45.3	352	17.8	66.4
1958-59	190	89.1	40.0	359	15.0	68.7
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	99.1	35.3	20.3	(j)	7.95	36.3
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	(j)	41.3	18.8	(j)	7.25	33.9
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	45.4	19.4	10.3	(j)	4.02	17.0
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	(j)	17.6	9.3	(j)	3.60	16.8
Month, 1958 December	16.6	5.67	3.53	29.5	1.11	6.10
1959 January	7.2	7.03	2.59	(j)	1.04	4.32
February	(j)	4.89	3.20	26.4	1.45	6.37
March	16.2	8.50	3.47	(j)	1.32	5.96
April	20.8	6.77	4.09	36.8	1.52	7.13
May	18.6	6.16	3.67	26.5	1.15	5.75
June	(j)	6.02	3.89	28.3	0.82	5.26
July	19.4	5.19	5.04	(j)	1.38	7.00
August	16.1	4.98	3.51	23.7	1.40	6.37
September	16.0	3.77	2.76	21.9	1.27	6.57
October	21.5	6.77	3.48	33.0	1.31	6.07
November	16.2	5.37	3.74	34.0	1.35	6.74
December	16.0	6.42	3.72	(j)	1.23	6.08
1960 January	12.7	7.12	3.45	23.4	1.38	4.97
February	16.7	5.83	3.17	32.5	1.41	5.92

(a) Includes thinners for synthetic finishes and a small quantity of thinners for enamels.

(b) Figures for 1956-57 include small quantities of water paints in powder form

(c) '000 lb.

(d) With active constituents of soap only or mixture of soap and alkali

(e) Includes laundry flakes and chips

(f) Includes shaving soap and shampoo

(g) Includes industrial flakes and chips

(h) Includes soft and liquid soap.

(i) Woolscouring soap only.

(j) Not available for publication.

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Item Period		DOMESTIC ELECTRIC APPLIANCES					Domestic Refrigerators
		Clothes Washing Machines	Hot Water Jugs	Irons (Hand)	Toasters	Radiators and Electric Fires (a)	
		'000					
Year : 1938-39		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	(b)
1948-49		n.a.	61.0	87.7	n.a.	68.1	16.3
1956-57		23.7	101.8	30.8	76.5	162.3	21.9
1957-58		24.8	111.8	27.1	89.0	161.4	41.5
1958-59		22.9	101.6	27.1	92.2	210.5	43.0
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		11.41	61.1	(b)	(b)	(b)	26.4
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		11.52	59.8	(b)	(b)	(b)	22.4
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		5.87	26.2	(b)	(b)	41.0	11.0
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		4.88	25.1	(b)	(b)	(b)	11.3
Month, 1958 December		1.61	10.88	2.21	7.00	5.65	3.77
1959 January		1.30	6.02	(b)	(b)	(b)	2.60
February		1.97	8.23	2.04	(b)	17.19	4.88
March		1.98	7.23	0.64	7.62	24.29	3.51
April		2.04	5.59	1.55	9.46	39.28	2.47
May		1.94	4.61	1.85	10.44	39.62	3.81
June		1.36	5.18	(b)	10.85	(b)	3.62
July		1.76	7.31	2.74	11.78	25.11	4.83
August		1.87	7.87	1.76	12.12	7.11	3.87
September		1.95	9.65	1.97	11.36	10.52	5.04
October		1.57	12.04	2.51	11.99	(b)	5.31
November		2.02	13.16	3.55	(b)	(b)	5.00
December		2.01	11.75	2.93	9.91	10.23	4.36
1960 January		1.54	7.16	0.92	6.61	8.13	2.94
February		2.32	7.33	(b)	(b)	22.67	3.74

Item Period		ELECTRIC MOTORS					Total
		Under 1 H.P.	1 H.P. and under 2½ H.P.	2½ H.P. and under 5 H.P.	5 H.P. and over		
		No.					
Year : 1938-39		n.a.					
1948-49		44,743	7,612	2,272	3,850	58,477	
1956-57		171,489	8,975	4,206	3,639	188,309	
1957-58		193,233	10,392	4,640	4,781	213,046	
1958-59		227,154	11,000	4,833	5,204	248,191	
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		124,594	5,894	2,792	2,969	136,249	
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		109,837	5,238	2,447	2,524	120,046	
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		58,698	2,263	1,203	1,079	63,243	
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		51,595	2,387	976	996	55,954	
Month, 1958 December		18,160	861	214	381	19,616	
1959 January		13,320	478	317	360	14,475	
February		20,115	1,048	445	255	21,863	
March		19,726	947	595	329	21,597	
April		22,017	1,132	356	551	24,056	
May		21,471	609	313	609	23,002	
June		19,268	972	373	322	20,935	
July		21,484	1,172	536	817	24,009	
August		20,282	1,201	478	403	22,364	
September		22,481	1,344	293	829	24,947	
October		21,307	891	855	545	23,598	
November		22,108	1,396	441	516	24,461	
December		21,950	708	557	227	23,442	
1960 January		14,314	625	309	398	15,646	
February		22,434	930	337	454	24,155	

(a) From July 1956, includes convection type.

(b) Not available for publication.

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Period	Item	Motor Bodies Made or Assembled		Motor Vehicle Chassis Assembled		Batteries - (Starting, Lighting, and Ignition)	
		Cars	Commercial Vehicles(a)	Cars(b)	Commercial Vehicles	6 Volt	12 Volt
		No.					
Year :	1938-39	27,406		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1948-49	27,670		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1956-57	50,654	13,505	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1957-58	69,241	21,254	75,202	25,684	193,506	208,803
	1958-59	79,804	21,917	82,391	24,497	228,533	242,633
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	49,849	9,923	45,898	12,386	108,719	135,911
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	36,682	10,319	38,710	12,017	102,836	103,598
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	23,277	4,219	21,912	5,897	50,949	64,786
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	17,034	4,757	17,859	5,236	44,631	44,988
Month,	1958 December	5,872	1,547	6,079	1,670	17,907	17,313
	1959 January	4,449	1,278	4,754	1,461	9,418	10,906
	February	6,713	1,932	7,026	2,105	17,306	16,769
	March	7,137	1,769	7,488	1,855	17,974	20,790
	April	8,599	2,032	8,137	1,918	22,392	23,052
	May	7,847	2,205	7,658	2,437	23,982	23,215
	June	7,306	1,726	7,421	2,277	21,255	24,212
	July	8,630	1,949	8,301	2,395	26,698	28,966
	August	r 8,441	1,727	7,423	2,410	20,067	22,397
	September	r 9,388	1,861	8,387	2,232	16,977	21,927
	October	8,497	r2,031	7,453	2,287	22,085	24,266
	November	8,687	r1,812	8,146	1,970	18,708	24,932
	December	r 7,484	1,434	7,219	1,895	17,179	20,039
1960	January	5,990	r1,056	5,666	1,644	13,552	18,748
	February	9,803	1,729	9,027	2,358	20,218	25,999

Period	Item	Radios and Radiograms (c)	Cabinets		Lawn Mowers, Petrol	Internal Combustion Engines (e)	Pedal Cycles
			Radios and Radiograms	Television Sets			
No.							
Year :	1938-39	30,752	n.a.	..	n.a.	3,413	30,968
	1948-49	78,583	47,424	..	..	3,694	31,622
	1956-57	86,555	57,995	38,891	40,363	87,196	24,702
	1957-58	101,303	53,823	84,505	33,520	78,415	26,718
	1958-59	107,731	34,198	78,523	35,201	91,584	23,345
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	54,352	(d)	34,212	20,132	57,087	12,312
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	58,851	18,651	32,971	22,116	(d)	14,039
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	26,008	(d)	12,706	5,597	22,434	5,834
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	32,079	11,104	11,811	9,343	(d)	7,373
Month,	1958 December	14,107	4,093	4,578	4,467	10,927	3,636
	1959 January	6,312	1,805	2,629	2,252	(d)	1,703
	February	11,660	5,206	4,604	2,624	(d)	2,034
	March	12,027	5,436	4,122	2,275	6,795	1,582
	April	9,164	4,118	4,667	2,140	4,786	1,490
	May	5,345	1,266	6,478	2,975	4,039	1,305
	June	6,509	1,913	7,930	2,274	4,030	1,242
	July	5,880	(d)	8,641	2,660	6,362	1,706
	August	5,714	(d)	5,524	3,076	7,826	1,547
	September	7,272	2,602	6,670	5,618	12,372	1,876
	October	9,463	3,356	7,394	4,975	12,222	1,950
	November	11,609	(d)	7,442	3,942	10,059	2,652
	December	11,047	(d)	4,937	2,193	10,360	3,222
	1960 January	5,294	(d)	2,854	1,515	5,839	968
	February	9,667	(d)	4,915	1,889	6,235	1,644

(a) Excludes truck cabs and trailers.

(b) Includes station wagons and estate cars.

(c) Figures for 1956-57 onwards include a small number of radio tape-recorders.

(d) Not available for publication.

(e) Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, and aero.

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Period \ Item	Perambulators	MATTRESSES			Cotton Sewing Thread (b)
		Woven Wire, Link Mesh, and Spring	Inner Spring	Other	
		'000			'000 lb.
Year : 1938-39	21.1	86.8(a)	7.7	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	49.3	55.8(a)	47.2	119	n.a.
1956-57	48.9	114.3	154.3	105	872
1957-58	53.9	114.0	166.2	108	888
1958-59	58.2	116.3	175.4	108	963
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	28.7	59.7	93.0	61.6	527
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	33.2	58.3	89.0	60.1	462
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	11.8	29.6	45.2	29.8	246
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	14.3	29.1	43.2	30.3	198
Month, 1958 December	5.47	12.93	17.8	13.54	48.3
1959 January	3.61	6.35	10.0	6.37	58.0
February	5.24	9.85	15.4	10.37	91.8
March	4.70	10.58	14.5	8.10	74.3
April	4.44	10.68	16.0	8.14	80.5
May	3.47	8.71	14.5	7.48	85.7
June	3.24	8.90	12.8	7.28	88.0
July	4.35	10.73	16.8	8.34	107.6
August	4.86	10.08	16.9	8.72	91.6
September	5.46	9.57	14.9	8.85	88.0
October	6.20	10.04	16.5	11.19	113.8
November	5.23	10.49	16.4	11.75	79.5
December	4.56	12.27	19.3	12.65	76.0
1960 January	2.88	6.61	10.1	7.66	67.6
February	4.39	10.75	15.8	9.46	102.0

Period \ Item	Woven Cotton Fabrics	W O O L			
		Scoured and Carbonised	Tops	Yarns	
				Worsted	Woollen
	'000 sq.yds.	mill.lb.			
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	38.1	11.2	7.35	8.77
1948-49	n.a.	61.8	15.9	13.64	14.23
1956-57	12,490	63.6	19.3	12.17	14.27
1957-58	13,953	59.8	17.6	10.32	14.77
1958-59	13,286	59.1	18.0	9.68	12.65
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	6,151	28.7	9.71	5.85	7.44
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	6,541	27.4	8.09	4.61	6.02
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	2,942	13.7	4.29	2.65	3.33
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	2,793	13.6	3.66	2.27	2.66
Month, 1958 December	941	4.46	1.04	0.74	0.87
1959 January	850	4.04	1.11	0.58	0.72
February	1,002	5.13	1.51	0.95	1.07
March	1,032	5.46	1.53	0.95	1.07
April	1,229	5.63	1.68	0.94	1.13
May	1,003	5.78	1.88	0.96	1.14
June	1,077	5.85	1.94	0.95	1.24
July	1,144	5.57	1.83	0.92	1.19
August	1,029	5.28	1.67	0.91	1.20
September	1,045	4.63	1.85	1.09	1.44
October	1,079	5.16	1.88	1.05	1.31
November	1,085	5.21	1.69	1.06	1.36
December	r 879	4.36	1.40	0.91	1.09
1960 January	r1,018	4.66	1.20	0.71	0.92
February	1,045	4.69	1.69	1.03	1.32

(a) Excludes mattresses made and incorporated in folding beds and stretchers.

(b) Counts over 12's up to June 1957. Thereafter counts over 18's.

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Item Period		WOOLLEN TEXTILES						Other Broadwoven Cloth (Rayon and Synthetic Fibres)
		Worsted (a)		Woollen (a)		Blankets	Rugs	
		Pure	Mixture	Pure	Mixture			
		'000 sq. yds.				'000		'000 sq. yds.
Year : 1938-39		15,198				595	53.9	n.a.
1948-49		21,939				879	69.1	n.a.
1956-57		6,338	512	7,519	4,271	906	67.9	12,749
1957-58		5,768	693	7,212	4,313	973	71.3	12,840
1958-59		5,965		5,583	3,461	901	65.1	11,775
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		3,567		3,135	1,904	435	23.3	5,171
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		2,816		2,934	1,766	364	27.9	5,292
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		1,607		1,505	911	199	11.8	2,238
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		1,292		1,351	882	161	10.2	2,278
Month, 1958 December		463		471	296	47.3	3.19	828
1959 January		326		356	236	44.7	3.02	497
February		503		524	350	68.8	4.03	953
March		532		548	353	82.0	3.82	988
April		558		480	359	95.2	5.54	1,106
May		551		398	283	94.1	7.17	1,000
June		592		400	261	94.5	5.92	1,261
July		561		399	275	99.4	5.96	1,023
August		534		425	245	80.9	3.84	886
September		631		517	301	89.2	4.43	1,099
October		664		524	331	72.4	3.51	904
November		665		589	361	74.8	3.56	930
December		531		519	331	67.4	4.69	853
1960 January		418		402	246	51.8	1.91	546
February		658		584	334	79.6	5.17	839

Item Period		UNDERWEAR			NIGHTWEAR		Bathing Suits and Trunks	
		Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear	Men's and Boys' Pyjamas	Women's and Girls'		
						Night- dresses		Pyjamas
		'000 dozen						
Year : 1938-39		1,242			73.2	68.5		23.3
1948-49		1,338			79.6	120.5		27.7
1956-57		719	1,396	41.8	93.3	104	80.3	59.5
1957-58		736	1,428	31.6	116.6	105	104.9	59.3
1958-59		793	1,386	35.4	127.0	107	121.4	54.7
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		403	758	17.4	51.19	65.2	65.3	42.9
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		380	683	17.8	55.38	48.5	56.2	24.5
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		178	343	7.9	21.80	31.6	43.3	11.7
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		164	313	7.5	25.62	24.8	35.9	5.5
Month, 1958 December		56.6	111.6	2.35	8.33	6.21	9.52	3.36
1959 January		41.8	76.8	2.05	6.27	6.31	10.42	0.90
February		65.4	124.6	3.09	11.02	12.30	16.01	1.22
March		64.8	119.5	3.21	12.90	13.14	14.61	2.50
April		74.9	119.7	3.38	18.27	12.16	16.68	3.24
May		67.3	120.5	3.30	12.81	8.31	11.65	3.74
June		72.4	108.1	3.16	9.64	7.65	8.00	5.41
July		81.3	134.1	4.17	8.98	8.97	8.09	9.41
August		63.2	120.4	3.01	9.34	11.18	9.81	9.58
September		77.8	136.7	3.51	11.08	12.57	6.70	10.50
October		75.0	136.8	2.66	9.60	11.28	7.19	11.45
November		72.0	141.3	3.32	8.71	9.72	8.15	9.27
December		62.6	133.2	1.99	7.54	9.02	10.28	6.90
1960 January		45.8	80.4	2.99	5.70	8.63	12.77	2.37
February		69.7	129.6	2.89	8.56	13.98	20.23	2.42

(a) Prior to July 1956, excludes wool in admixture with rayon.

Item Period		HOSIERY (a)						
		'000 dozen pairs						
		Women's, Maids' and Girls'		Men's and Boys'		Infants' and Baby Wear		Total
Year : 1938-39		1,616		893		266		2,775
1948-49		1,185		1,047		497		2,729
		NEW SERIES - DISSECTION NOT COMPARABLE						
		Women's			Men's	Child- ren's	Infants'	Total
		Full Fashioned	Circular	Anklets				
Year : 1956-57		1,858	138	201	1,211	656	83	4,147
1957-58		1,438	220	205	1,198	628	90	3,779
1958-59		1,436	407	149	1,088	646	81	3,807
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		643	296	82.2	641	335	64.6	2,062
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		695	184	69.7	515	312	34.3	1,810
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		268	137	39.9	245	145	26.1	862
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		291	81	27.2	213	136	17.1	765
Month, 1958 December		99	27.5	9.3	73	50.9	5.5	265
1959 January		75	21.0	7.5	54	32.4	4.5	194
February		117	32.5	10.4	86	52.4	7.1	306
March		109	33.3	12.8	88	50.0	7.9	301
April		118	40.7	12.6	98	50.4	8.1	328
May		125	41.0	12.0	96	52.2	7.7	334
June		125	40.3	11.2	104	57.7	8.6	347
July		131	48.4	10.5	122	54.5	10.2	377
August		133	44.8	14.9	110	54.4	10.6	368
September		128	53.6	14.3	132	67.1	12.1	407
October		131	52.8	14.5	139	65.2	11.0	413
November		116	52.6	13.5	125	57.7	15.4	380
December		90	47.6	11.5	85	49.0	9.3	292
1960 January		71	35.7	10.8	64	36.7	7.4	226
February		107	54.2	17.6	96	59.5	9.4	344

Item Period		CARDIGANS, PULLOVERS, ETC.					SHIRTS
		Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Women's and Maids'	Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear	Men's and Boys'
		'000 dozen					
Year : 1938-39		249(b)					271(c)
1948-49		323					264
1956-57		208		558		50.0	654
1957-58		198		649		59.5	685
1958-59		133	52.1	421	192	59.3	723
Latest 6 Mths.,	1959-60	73.5	26.2	217	93.7	40.5	409
Same 6 Mths.,	1958-59	58.5	23.9	191	87.1	26.1	355
Latest 3 Mths.,	1959-60	34.9	13.8	103	44.5	19.2	146
Same 3 Mths.,	1958-59	27.2	12.8	89	40.6	13.5	118
Month,	1958 December	7.9	3.87	26.6	12.6	3.75	55.8
	1959 January	7.6	3.93	23.5	10.5	3.34	19.2
	February	11.7	5.02	38.6	17.5	6.42	42.7
	March	12.1	5.20	39.3	15.4	6.24	45.5
	April	13.7	6.24	38.9	18.1	6.84	51.8
	May	14.2	4.49	44.1	17.1	6.54	58.3
	June	13.8	4.93	40.5	22.4	5.14	58.9
	July	13.3	4.15	r38.4	14.0	6.73	84.0
	August	11.6	4.44	r35.4	16.7	5.76	79.5
	September	12.7	3.12	r38.2	18.9	7.29	90.8
	October	12.3	4.61	r37.0	14.8	7.10	91.3
	November	13.6	4.60	38.0	15.5	6.95	81.7
	December	11.2	4.56	r33.6	16.2	6.20	63.7
1960	January	9.2	3.32	27.1	10.8	5.91	29.8
	February	14.5	5.95	42.7	17.5	7.08	52.1

(a) From July 1956, the dissection has been on a different basis.

(b) Knitted only.

(c) Excludes knitted.

Period \ Item	MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)					
	Suits			Trousers		Shorts and
	Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Men's and Youths'	Sports	Work	Knickers
	3 piece	2 piece	2 piece			Boys'
	'000					
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	20.2	265	57.9	886	639	r 616
1957-58	14.3	253	39.6	809	610	r 881
1958-59	10.0	273	31.0	843	648	r 824
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	4.19	148	16.1	503	385	580
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	4.96	132	19.7	422	324	439
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	1.96	63	9.7	209	170	227
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	1.82	55	9.8	173	145	191
Month, 1958 December	0.97	21.4	5.32	64.9	54.9	r 79.2
1959 January	0.29	13.2	2.95	41.6	33.4	r 45.2
February	0.56	20.8	1.50	66.2	56.6	r 66.6
March	0.63	22.1	0.97	65.3	56.0	r 49.8
April	0.74	26.6	2.13	70.2	56.0	r 54.4
May	0.74	24.7	1.86	65.2	52.9	r 61.1
June	0.97	21.3	0.81	62.9	58.7	r 68.3
July	1.15	25.3	2.52	87.0	70.4	r 99.8
August	0.71	25.6	3.98	86.8	67.5	r 98.5
September	0.78	28.5	2.41	91.6	73.8	r 109.2
October	0.77	29.2	1.50	96.9	73.5	r 118.3
November	0.68	26.9	2.52	105.2	67.4	r 125.8
December	0.60	27.3	4.31	82.7	64.8	r 116.0
1960 January	0.77	12.9	3.51	46.9	43.8	r 61.1
February	0.59	22.8	1.89	79.5	61.6	50.1

Item Period		MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)					
		Sports Coats- Men's and Youths'	Blazers		Overalls Men's and Youths'	Overcoats and Raincoats	
			Men's and Youths'	Boys'		Men's and Youths'	Boys'
'000							
Year :	1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1956-57	265	26.2	28.2	710	151	81.3
	1957-58	244	30.4	26.3	837	118	66.1
	1958-59	221	25.3	23.6	692	99	54.6
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	124	12.7	12.2	409	(a)	18.2
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	117	13.4	12.0	309	27.9	17.2
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	41	6.0	7.9	177	(a)	10.2
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	44	6.1	6.8	124	16.3	10.4
Month,	1958 December	20.4	2.82	2.63	51.4	1.8	1.84
	1959 January	7.4	1.27	2.02	20.7	2.9	2.51
	February	16.3	2.03	2.10	51.6	11.6	6.03
	March	15.0	2.42	2.12	53.1	14.4	11.69
	April	15.8	1.58	1.59	61.7	14.6	9.23
	May	14.2	1.81	1.98	64.7	15.3	6.59
	June	13.6	1.37	1.83	72.7	15.3	4.89
	July	17.9	1.62	2.08	79.4	5.6	2.92
	August	24.5	2.22	2.03	71.5	4.5	1.92
	September	27.2	2.56	1.54	76.5	2.3	2.88
	October	28.4	2.06	1.04	84.5	(a)	2.56
	November	28.2	2.04	1.78	70.2	(a)	2.53
	December	17.1	2.47	3.56	79.4	(a)	1.29
	1960 January	8.3	1.69	1.87	26.5	3.2	1.06
	February	15.2	1.88	2.43	71.4	14.4	7.85

(a) Not available for publication.

Item	FOUNDATION GARMENTS		GLOVES		FOOTWEAR	
	Corsets and Corselets	Brassieres	Dress	Work	Boots, Shoes, and Sandals	Slippers (a)
Period	'000 dozen		dozen pairs		'000 pairs	
Year : 1938-39	122	186	n.a.	n.a.	7,464	4,218
1948-49	80	139	52,720	15,707	8,100	4,549
1956-57	82	260	48,454	31,343	10,176	5,055
1957-58	103	315	55,546	41,080	10,535	5,664
1958-59	102	298	35,789	42,661	12,593	5,664
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60	58.1	135.5	17,231	28,436	7,054	3,032
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59	48.4	128.8	15,820	18,269	6,255	2,318
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60	23.9	63.1	6,447	11,911	2,844	1,309
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59	20.1	61.9	5,615	8,392	2,581	1,031
Month, 1958 December	7.03	18.5	1,720	2,628	972	326
1959 January	5.23	15.1	1,617	2,268	634	215
February	7.75	28.3	2,278	3,496	975	490
March	6.98	28.1	2,486	3,722	958	538
April	8.48	32.4	3,402	4,716	1,045	621
May	9.10	30.7	3,195	4,398	980	613
June	9.81	27.9	3,392	5,025	1,091	611
July	11.71	25.7	3,571	5,498	1,172	499
August	10.26	r19.8	3,459	4,664	1,242	592
September	11.91	r23.0	3,908	5,274	1,422	608
October	12.11	r24.8	3,552	5,844	1,385	570
November	10.23	r24.6	3,324	5,407	1,403	545
December	7.94	r21.5	1,975	3,682	1,126	447
1960 January	6.93	r16.2	1,683	3,250	660	310
February	9.02	25.4	2,789	4,979	1,058	552

Item Period		HIDES AND SKINS USED IN TANNERIES				
		CATTLE HIDES			Calf Skins	Sheepskins (Including Pelts)
		Yearlings	Light (up to 45 lb.)	Heavy (45 lb. and over)		
		'000				'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39		793			378	64.3
1948-49		1,027			587	69.5
1956-57		36.6	526	477	279	38.1
1957-58		49.5	582	434	312	33.1
1958-59		44.1	519	415	204	38.3
Latest 6 Mths., 1959-60		12.81	210	198	65.6	17.4
Same 6 Mths., 1958-59		19.45	246	210	108.6	19.5
Latest 3 Mths., 1959-60		6.64	95	82	22.9	8.1
Same 3 Mths., 1958-59		7.59	112	98	19.3	8.3
Month, 1958 December		1.77	30.2	29.9	7.30	2.14
1959 January		3.06	36.0	30.5	5.53	2.66
February		2.76	45.5	37.1	6.52	3.54
March		5.99	37.3	32.7	8.24	3.80
April		5.77	41.7	33.4	9.29	3.10
May		2.58	35.7	34.3	11.37	2.21
June		3.93	41.0	34.4	9.07	2.51
July		2.10	43.9	40.3	9.15	2.87
August		2.49	36.7	41.0	6.26	2.75
September		2.17	40.2	41.2	12.47	3.27
October		1.53	38.9	37.8	14.97	3.16
November		2.47	35.8	36.2	15.24	2.89
December		1.60	26.3	21.0	5.85	2.23
1960 January		2.00	29.0	27.9	6.86	2.76
February		3.04	39.4	33.4	10.20	3.07

(a) From July 1958, includes soft sole nursery shoes.

Item Period		M E A T					
		Beef and Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat	Bacon and Ham (a)	Canned Meat
		'000 tons					
Year :	1938-39	114	77.4	58.7	21.8	7.37	n.a.
	1948-49	118	61.8	53.0	22.5	10.20	13.5
	1956-57	159	75.1	56.1	21.2	7.72	30.7
	1957-58	181	107.4	61.7	24.3	8.35	45.5
	1958-59	189	123.3	70.1	23.7	8.84	36.1
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	81.2	90.8	41.4	12.10	4.34	20.5
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	91.2	69.0	45.0	12.45	4.53	19.1
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	40.2	49.2	18.0	6.28	2.13	10.2
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	48.8	39.9	19.6	6.36	2.28	9.7
Month,	1958 December	16.1	13.64	10.87	2.52	1.00	3.98
	1959 January	15.6	12.80	4.83	1.83	0.63	2.87
	February	17.1	13.46	3.93	2.01	0.65	2.82
	March	16.4	11.36	4.13	2.17	0.68	2.34
	April	16.6	9.21	4.05	2.12	0.76	1.64
	May	17.1	10.14	4.21	1.93	0.68	3.04
	June	17.0	9.67	4.14	1.64	0.70	2.58
	July	17.2	9.56	4.56	1.64	0.72	2.90
	August	13.7	7.87	4.14	1.58	0.65	2.58
	September	13.8	11.06	5.48	1.72	0.78	2.97
	October	13.6	15.62	7.88	1.58	0.70	3.27
	November	13.6	15.01	9.99	2.12	0.73	4.04
	December	13.7	17.99	7.71	2.41	0.96	4.53
1960	January	13.0	16.34	5.05	1.77	0.58	2.86
	February	13.5	14.83	5.29	2.10	0.59	2.80

Item Period		WHEAT PRODUCTS			Butter (b)	Cheese (b)	Margarine- Other than Table
		Flour	Bran	Pollard			
		'000 short tons			'000 tons		cwt.
Year :	1938-39	437	95.2	90.2	56.6	8.64	64,830
	1948-49	479	98.9	98.7	60.4	18.35	70,495
	1956-57	451	83.3	99.6	88.6	10.54	74,748
	1957-58	469	83.9	101.9	86.2	14.84	74,097
	1958-59	437	74.0	88.2	88.1	17.27	80,281
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	228	35.2	42.2	67.2	13.73	42,409
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	209	35.3	41.9	63.2	11.84	37,136
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	97	16.3	19.7	30.0	6.41	19,549
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	94	15.6	19.1	28.7	5.41	16,285
Month,	1958 December	31.1	5.09	6.40	12.82	2.18	6,089
	1959 January	30.9	5.19	5.99	9.45	1.85	3,907
	February	32.5	5.34	6.72	6.42	1.38	6,289
	March	33.1	5.62	6.69	6.32	1.34	7,959
	April	35.2	5.81	7.29	4.87	1.06	7,049
	May	37.8	6.47	7.95	3.22	0.67	6,602
	June	39.2	6.80	8.24	2.34	0.52	6,377
	July	39.7	6.76	8.10	3.15	0.70	8,020
	August	38.0	6.48	7.84	6.12	1.35	5,807
	September	54.6	5.90	6.83	10.15	2.07	7,261
	October	38.7	6.49	7.92	13.37	2.61	8,161
	November	37.8	6.54	7.72	13.75	2.64	7,438
	December	32.7	5.43	6.86	12.55	2.45	6,801
1960	January	33.3	5.69	6.77	9.92	2.18	5,048
	February	30.5	5.20	6.06	7.48	1.78	7,700

(a) Cured weight.

(b) Factory production only.

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Item Period		PROCESSED WHOLEMILK				Oatmeal	Edible Starch	Malt
		Consensed		Powd- ered	Other	and Rolled Oats		
		Sweetened	Unsweet- ened					
		'000 lb.				'000 cwt.	'000 bushel	
Year :	1938-39	24,063		21,443	n.a.	141	n.a.	2,425
	1948-49	82,105		30,225	15,954	195	90	3,271
	1956-57	79,340	21,172	24,476	24,856	125	136	5,671
	1957-58	75,318	21,915	24,855	22,546	106	128	5,846
	1958-59	86,790		24,839	25,438	118	133	5,846
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	77,676		15,786	15,906	23.5	90.8	2,917
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	48,346		16,533	15,032	22.1	64.5	2,849
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	35,408		6,188	8,685	10.0	38.8	1,396
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	28,458		7,403	6,915	11.4	27.0	1,375
Month,	1958 December	12,998		3,597	2,604	1.9	10.0	500
	1959 January	8,842		2,400	2,328	3.2	6.6	449
	February	6,618		1,406	1,983	6.3	10.4	426
	March	6,852		1,819	1,652	14.7	9.3	475
	April	5,405		1,176	2,010	23.7	11.3	493
	May	2,815		1,269	1,306	21.3	11.0	522
	June	1,360		748	1,517	17.7	11.5	510
	July	1,904		1,375	1,484	14.2	15.3	509
	August	5,571		1,921	1,719	9.2	15.7	488
	September	10,528		2,794	1,945	5.6	18.6	492
	October	15,340		3,498	2,761	3.8	17.4	520
	November	16,400		3,306	2,515	4.1	16.0	509
	December	16,672		2,261	2,893	1.8	13.4	492
	1960 January	11,124		2,350	2,994	2.8	9.2	421
	February	7,612		1,577	2,798	5.4	16.2	483

Period	Item	Jam, (inc.	CANNED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES				Canned Spaghetti
		Conserves, Fruit Spreads, etc.)	Apricots, Peaches, and Pears	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Other Vege- tables(d)	
		mill. lb.	'000 lb.				
Year :	1938-39	49.6(a)	89.9	(b)961	1,185	(c)2,809	n.a.
	1948-49	75.8(a)	85.7	4,110	2,740	13,710	n.a.
	1956-57	40.8	122.0	8,544	5,020	27,207	11,936
	1957-58	54.5	177.1	10,769	1,721	23,494	9,062
	1958-59	33.1	138.2	3,658	618	21,441	12,928
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	20.9	(e)	(e)	(e)	11,396	(e)
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	14.4	(e)	(e)	253	9,998	5,831
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	13.9	80.9	(e)	(e)	4,426	(e)
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	9.0	44.0	(e)	253	4,644	2,675
Month,	1958 December	1.72	..	2,204	..	2,361	823
	1959 January	2.72	7.59	(e)	..	1,046	756
	February	4.57	36.13	..	253	1,237	1,096
	March	4.87	60.57	..	(e)	1,580	905
	April	2.51	31.73	..	(e)	2,201	1,180
	May	2.88	1.76	..	(e)	2,177	1,429
	June	2.48	..	..	..	2,272	1,387
	July	2.60	..	..	..	2,828	1,442
	August	2.73	(e)	..	..	1,944	1,309
	September	2.49	(e)	..	..	1,416	1,519
	October	2.35	(e)	..	..	2,675	792
	November	2.15	(e)	1,722	..	2,879	1,281
	December	2.29	1.22	1,899	..	2,004	435
1960	January	4.50	23.33	(e)	(e)	1,364	(e)
	February	7.15	56.39	..	532	1,058	668

(a) Includes Tasmanian production.
(b) Includes mint-processed peas.
(c) Excludes mint-processed peas.
(d) From July 1959, onwards includes pickled vegetables.
(e) Not available for publication.

Period	Item	Tomato Juice	Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup	Aerated Waters	Beer (b)
'000 gallons						
Year :	1938-39	n.a.	1,059	560	4,814	31,451
	1948-49	1,274	1,664	2,747	9,491	43,950
	1956-57	725	1,795	3,331	14,456	67,605
	1957-58	519	1,371	2,069	16,205	69,342
	1958-59	963	1,492	2,539	18,112	70,265
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	413	960	(a)	12,693	41,518
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	(a)	707	(a)	12,010	38,835
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	413	751	979	7,554	21,294
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	(a)	460	(a)	7,572	20,377
Month,	1958 December	(a)	63	(a)	2,279	7,774
	1959 January	276	81	(a)	2,919	6,396
	February	343	316	614	2,374	6,207
	March	172	275	670	1,334	5,778
	April	65	275	499	1,313	5,628
	May	(a)	47	93	1,001	5,072
	June	..	18	118	827	4,519
	July	..	54	94	916	5,592
	August	..	66	116	998	5,583
	September	..	75	25	1,438	6,320
	October	..	68	85	1,487	6,630
	November	..	66	(a)	2,214	7,274
	December	..	105	24	2,688	8,182
	1960 January	159	143	238	3,096	7,047
	February	254	503	717	1,770	6,065

Period	Item	Ice Cream	Biscuits	Confectionery		Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarette (c)
				Chocolate or con- taining Chocolate	Other	
		'000 gals.	mill lb.			
Year :	1938-39	1,066	20.4	13.5	19.1	7.61 (d)
	1948-49	3,874	32.1	21.5	22.3	9.75
	1956-57	3,610	45.0	26.4	34.1	14.46
	1957-58	3,634	47.9	25.1	35.7	15.83
	1958-59	3,517	51.3	25.1	36.6	16.80
Latest	6 Mths., 1959-60	2,550	27.5	10.82	17.42	9.29
Same	6 Mths., 1958-59	2,406	25.0	10.06	17.32	8.53
Latest	3 Mths., 1959-60	1,446	12.7	4.45	7.32	4.64
Same	3 Mths., 1958-59	1,466	11.8	4.46	7.16	4.30
Month,	1958 December	448	4.42	1.65	2.67	1.69
	1959 January	642	2.94	0.98	1.74	1.22
	February	376	4.42	1.83	2.75	1.39
	March	285	4.34	1.93	3.05	1.27
	April	282	4.79	2.73	3.27	1.52
	May	159	4.33	2.90	3.21	1.37
	June	106	4.02	3.03	3.04	1.37
	July	135	4.94	3.20	3.65	1.57
	August	194	4.74	2.28	3.32	1.42
	September	319	4.84	2.32	3.48	1.44
	October	288	5.29	2.21	3.54	1.57
	November	497	4.64	1.84	3.08	1.64
	December	473	4.58	1.67	2.72	1.74
	1960 January	605	3.65	0.89	1.86	1.38
	February	368	4.48	1.89	2.74	1.52

(a) Not available for publication.

(b) From 1956-57 onwards represents quantity produced (incl. waste) as recorded by Department of Customs and Excise.

(c) From 1956-57 onwards represents quantity upon which excise duty was paid.

(d) Includes small quantity of cigarettes produced in Western Australia.

